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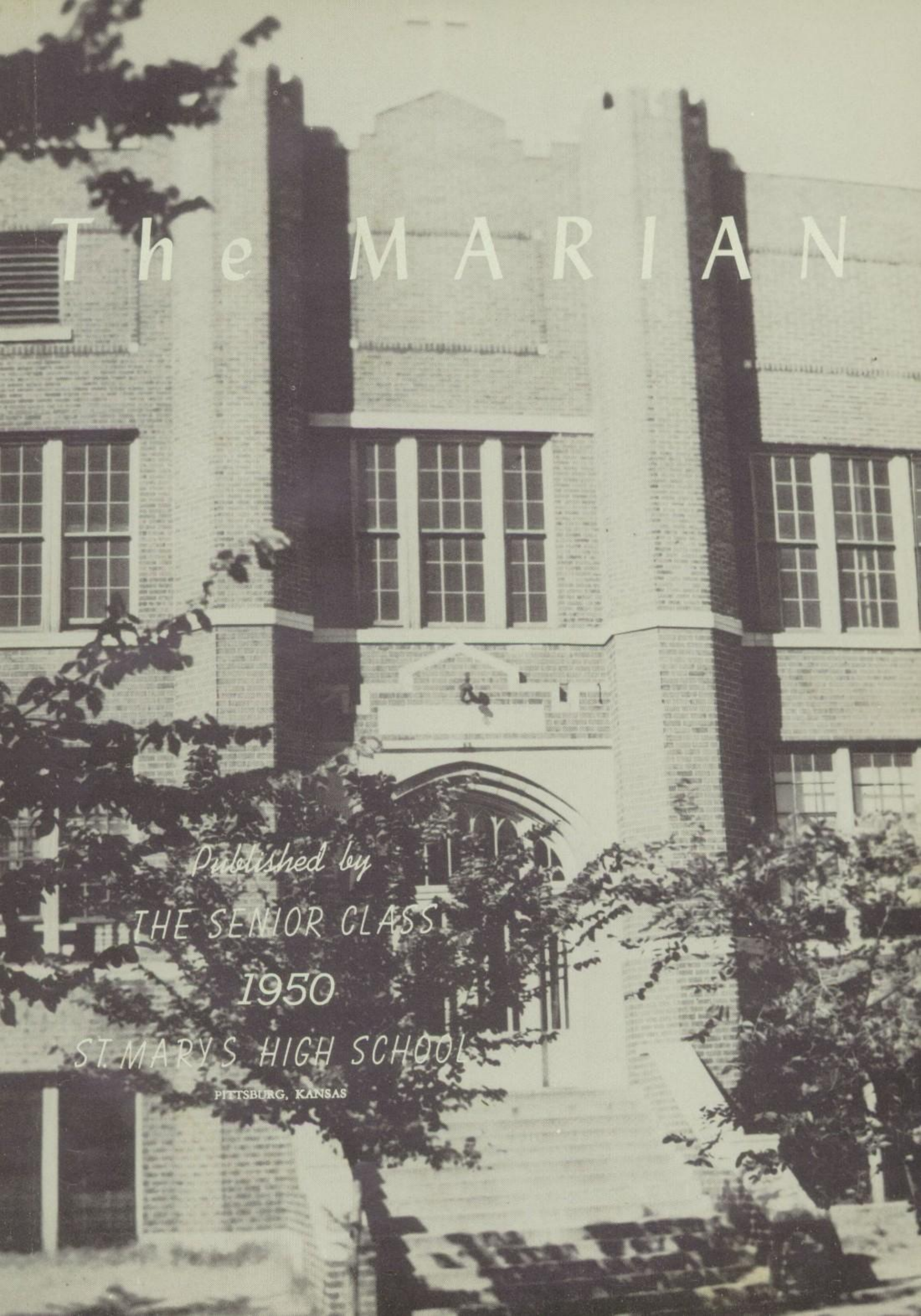

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THE SENIOR CLASS

1950

ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL

PITTSBURG, KANSAS

DEDICATION

Lovingly, we, the class of 1950, in publishing our tenth annual, coinciding with the Pope's tenth anniversary, wish to dedicate our "Marian" to the Supreme Pontiff in this particular Holy Year.

To Pope Pius XII, who represents our Divine Master, we offer homage. To him, that he might give to the Prince of Peace, we offer our promise to endeavor to bring a peaceful settlement of the controversies in a belligerent world.

Our Priests

Rev. Alex G. Stremel

St. Mary's New Rectory

To these priests who have been with us such a short time, and yet who have done so much for us, we wish to express our gratitude for their interest and effort which will help us to shape our lives to spiritual and social perfection. Their hours with us in Church, in the classrooms and in our social activities will not soon be forgotten.

Rev. Patrick Hughes

Rev. Edward York

Faculty

Rev. Alex G. Stremel, M. Ed.
Superintendent

Sister M. Edwina, Principal, M. A.
Religion—Latin—Mathematics

Sister M. Paula, B. A.
Religion—Commerce

Sister M. Ignatius, M. A.
Religion—English—Speech

Sister M. Clarissa, B. A.
Religion—Art—Chemistry—Mathematics

Rev. Edward York, M. A.
Religion—Biology—World History—General Science

Sister M. Athanasius, B. M.
Music

Mrs. Orlando Bazin, B. S.
Home Economics

Mr. Adolph Spigarelli, B. S.
Industrial Arts—Physical Education
Social Science

Sister M. Rosalia, M.A., B.L.S.
Librarian

Senior Class Officers

Vice-president
Charles Patterson

Secretary
Mary Ann Rome

Treasurer
Mike McKee

President
Norma Holland

Motto: Build tomorrow's castle on today's foundation

Patron: St. Edward

Color: Blue and White

Flower: White Rose

Sponsor: Sister Edwina

JOHN BENAGE
"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm." Latin Club 1-2, Chembiogen Club 1, Class Officer 1, Football 2-3-4, Marianette Co-Editor 4, Marian Staff 4, Band 1, 34 Club 2-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Minstrel 1-2-3-4, Altar Boy 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3.

KATHRYN BETTEGA
'A thoughtful girl, an enjoyable friend. She will stick with you to the very end." Latin Club 1-2, Library Science 3, Good Counsel Club 3, Class Officer 1, Minstrel 1-2-3-4, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Camera Club 2, 34 Club 2-3, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Co-Editor 4, Annual Queen 4, Choir 2-3-4.

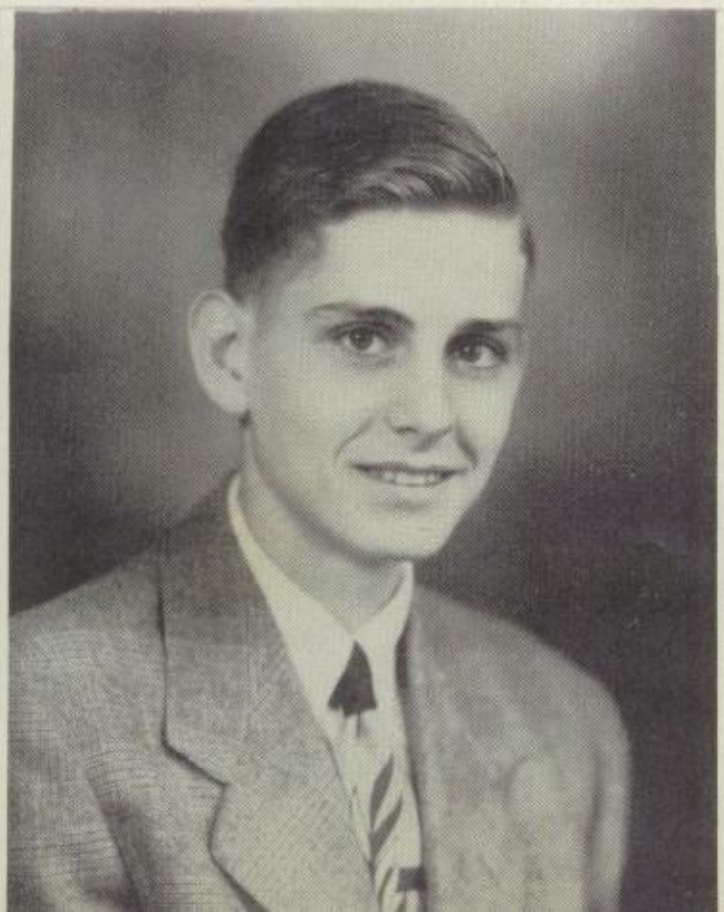
ROSE MARY BUTLER
"Her feelings bear the warm fragrance of kindness." Commercial Club 2-3, Choir 1-2-3-4, Marian Staff 4, Library Science 3-4, Dramatics 1, Sodality 4, Pep Club 1-2-3.

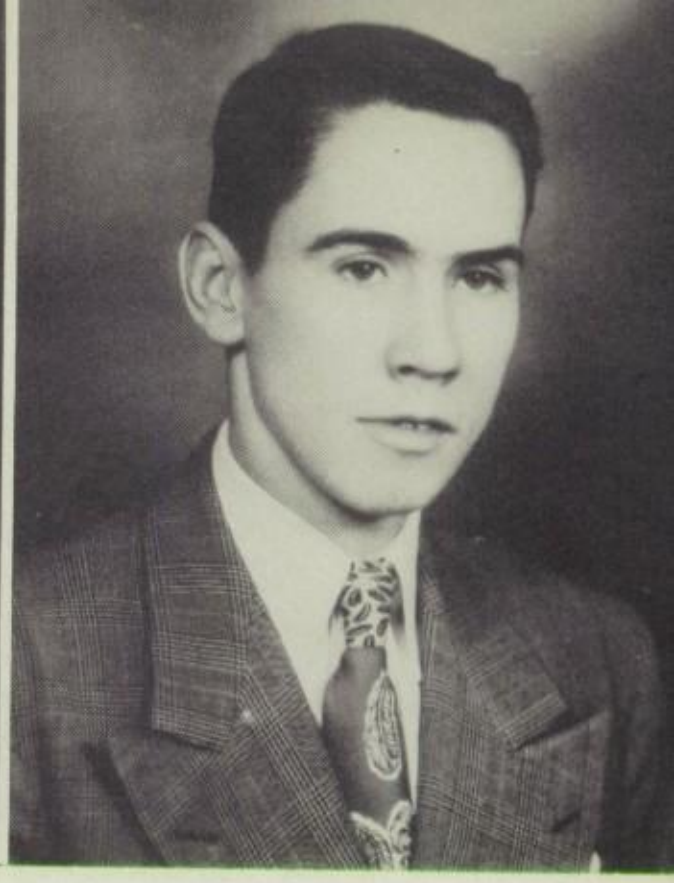
Build thee more stately mansions, O my soul

KATHLEEN GALLAGHER
"Sweet and neat—in all—a girl complete." Class Officer 3, Minstrel 3-4. Sodality 3-4, Football Queen Attendant 3, Marian Staff 4.

FRANCIS GRANT
"His chief virtue is a happy disposition." Chembiogen Club 1, Altar Boy 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3, Minstrel 1-2-3-4, Safety Counsel 4, 34 Club 2-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Football 2-3-4, Marian Staff 4, Camera Club 1-2-3.

NORMA HOLLAND
"The longer you know her, the better you like her." Glee Club 1-2, Good Counsel 3, choir 1-2-3-4, Class Officer 3-4, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, 34 Club 2-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3, Girls State 3, Minstrel 1-2-3-4.





MARY ANN HORGAN
"Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low, an excellent thing in woman." Latin Club 1-2-3, Latin Club Officer 2. Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3, Choir 1-2-3-4, Marianette Staff 2-4, Marian Staff 4, Minstrel 1-2-3, 34 Club 2-3; Library Science 3, Camera Club 3.

REGINA HUTSEY
"All her ways are ways of pleasantness." Latin Club 1, Glee Club 1-2, 34 Club 2-3, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, Minstrel 1-2-3-4, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Sodality Officer 3, May Queen 4, Football Queen Attendant 4.

KEETH JONES
"He's a genuine man in genius and fun. He's everyone's friend and likes everyone." Latin Club 1-2, Chembiogen Club 1, Class Officer 1-2, Sodality Officer 3, Altar Boy 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Base ball 3-4, Minstrel 1-2, Boy's State, Marian Staff 4, Teen Town Board 3.

Let each new temple, nobler than the last

ROBERT KAZMIERSKI
"Painting is silent poetry, and poetry a speaking picture." Latin Club 1-2, Chembiogen Club 1, Class Officer 2-3, 34 Club 2-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Marian Co-editor 4, Football 4, Minstrel 1-2-3, Safety Council 3, Altar Boy 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3.

ELIZABETH LERO
"When she smiles, there is mischief in her eyes." Glee Club 1-2-3, Cheerleader 1-2, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Sodality Officer 4, Football Queen 4, Choir 1-2-3, 34 Club 2-3, Minstrel 1-2-3, Marianette Staff 1-4, Marian Staff 4.

MICHAEL McKEE
"Whate'er he did was done with so much ease, in him alone it was natural to please." Chembiogen Club 1, Latin Club 1-2-3-4, Sodality Officer 3, Altar Boy 1-2-3-4, Junior Play 3, Football 1-2-3-4, 34 Club 2-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Marian Staff 4, Class Officer 4, Latin Club Officer 3.

BARBARA MILLER
"Not too serious, not too gay, but an ideal girl in every way." Latin Club 1-2, Glee Club 1, Library Science 3, Minstrel 1-2-3-4, Marian Staff 4, choir 1, Sodality 1-2-3-4.

ROSE MARIE NEIL
"Happy-go-lucky, carefree, and gay. She's the sunshine of each new day." Glee Club 1-2-3, Class Officer 2, Choir 1-2-3, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, Good Counsel Club 3, Minstrel 1-2, 34 Club 3, Cheerleader 2-4, Junior Play 3, Library Science 3.

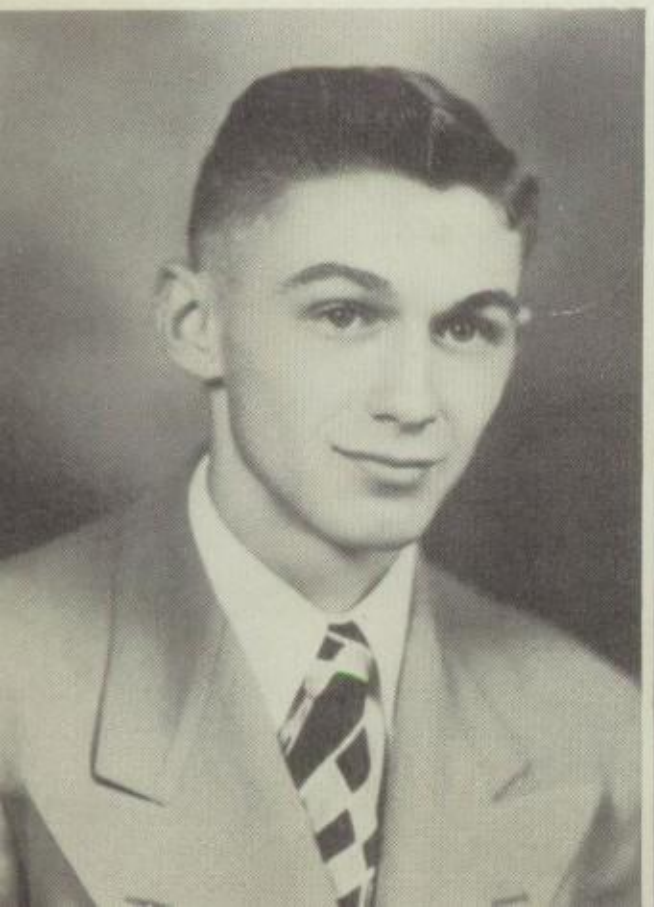
AGNES O'DONNELL
"Either I will find a way or I will make one." Latin Club 1-2-3, Latin Club Officer 3, Marian Staff 4, Marianette Staff 4, Choir 4, Glee Club 4, Good Counsel Club 3, Ministrel 1-2-3, 34 Club 3, Red Cross Board 4, Teen Town Board.

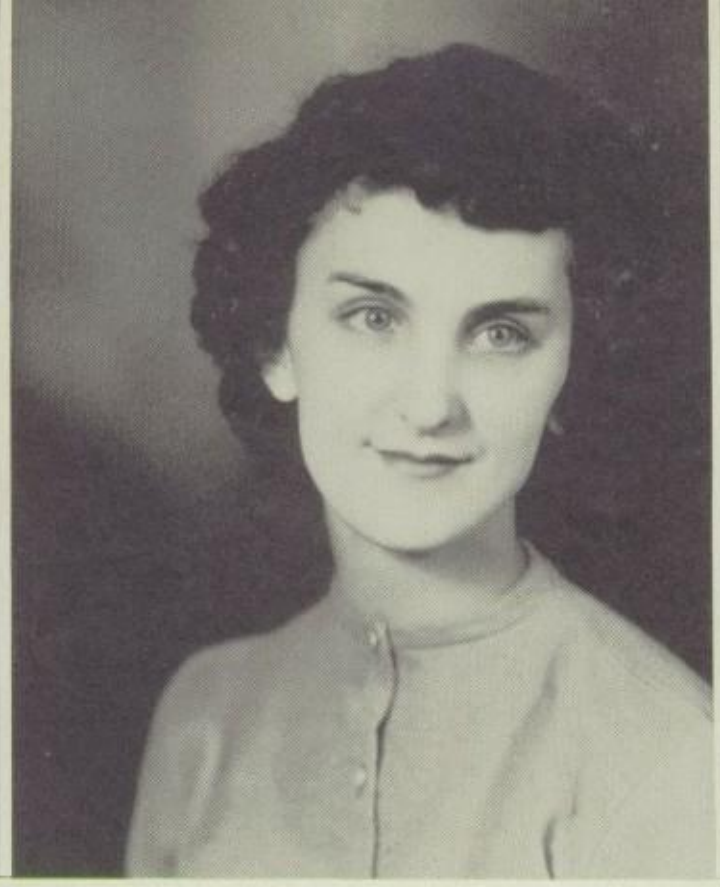
Shut thee from heaven with a dome more vast

LAWRENCE PARKS
"The way the smile behind your eyes leaps out and takes us by surprise." Latin Club 1, Chembiogen Club 2, Marian Staff 4, Marianette Co-Editor 4, Class Officer 3, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, Class Reporter 2.

CHARLES PATTERSON
"Wit and humor belong to genius alone." Latin Club 1-2-3, Latin Club Officer 3, Chembiogen Club 2, Class Officer 4, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4.

MARY ANN ROME
"She has a heart with room for every joy." Glee Club 1, Choir 1, Latin 1, Class Officer 4, Marian Staff 4, Sodality 4.





JAMES RYAN
"A friendly heart with many friends." Latin Club 1, Chembiogen Club 2, Marian Staff 4, Marianette Staff 4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, Annual King 4, Sodality Officer 4.

PATRICIA SCHWEITZER
"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men." Glee Club 1-2, Class Officer 2, Marianette Staft 2-4, Marian Staff 4, Minstrel 1-2, Sodality 1-2-3-4.

CONNIE WALLACE
"Her manner is calm and pleasant, her sweetness is ever present." Glee Club 1, Sodality Officer 3, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, Minstrel 1-3, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Choir 1-2-3-4, Library Science 3.

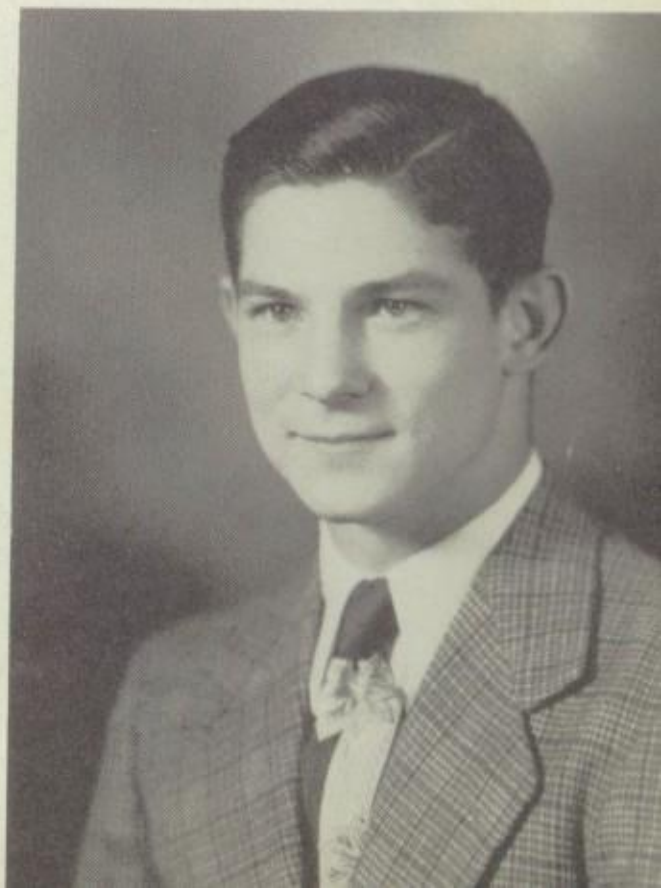
Leaving thine outgrown shell by life's unresting sea

HELENA WETTSTEIN
"She's happy here, she's happy there. She spreads her gladness everywhere." Latin Club 1, Marian Staff 4, Glee Club 1-2, Minstrel 1-2, Sodality 1-2-3-4, Choir 1-2-3-4.

ROBERT WILBERT
"I never knew him out of patience." Latin Club 1, Chembiogen Club 2, Class Officer 1, Marianette Staff 4, Marian Staff 4, Sodality Officer 4, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Latin Club Officer 4, Boys State 3.

FOND MEMORIES

Throughout our first 12 years, Sister Linus was with us. We've missed you in this, our last year.



Class History

FRESHMEN

Although a little nervous and anxious, September, 1946, saw us enrolling at the desk of Sister Martin. To start us out on our high school career, we chose John Benage as president, Keith Jones, vice-president, Elizabeth Sterbenz, treasurer and Linnaea Deppen, secretary. We prided ourselves on two new additions to the class, Regina Hutsey, from Frontenac and Jim Ryan who left us in the grades. At the semester we lost John Macek, who attended another school, Elizabeth Sterbenz, who moved to Kansas City, and Linnaea Deppen, who went to Salina. Their offices were then filled by Bob Wilbert and Kathryn Bettega. Mike McKee, Bob Wilbert, Keith Jones, Jim Ryan and Charles Patterson went out for football and we were represented in basketball by Ryan, Wilbert, and Jones. Betty Lero helped lead the team on to victory by her cheering. Connie Wallace and Betty Lero were responsible for the freshmen column as class reporters. Keith Jones and Norma Holland were our annual candidates. Our religious activities were led with the KSSU Leadership held in Pittsburg and a retreat given by Father Allen, C.P. With the coming of May, we found we were no longer "green freshmen" but . . . .

JUNIORS

This eventful year was under the sponsorship of Sister Berchmans. Duties for the year were assigned to Bob Kazmierski, president, Larry Parks, vice-president, Kitty Gallagher, secretary and Norma Holland, treasurer. Kitty who left early in her freshman year was back with us again and had the honor of attending the football queen at the homecoming. Rusty Loomis was another addition to our class but left to join the Army. With the help of Fr. York and Fr. Diver, a new entertainment was started—Teen Town—complete with dancing, ping pong, pool, and furnishings. Our representative on the Teen Town Board was Keith Jones. With the help of our junior boys, we won first place in the Mineral Belt League championship in football. This was followed by the death of our beloved Msgr. McCullough, who had been our pastor since our kindergarten days. Our class reporter was Pat Schweitzer. Early plans were made for the Junior-Senior Banquet and with our theme, "Treasure Island," the affair was a success with Sister Berchman's untiring help. Then came the thrilling experience of ordering our class rings—a moment we shall not soon forget. Candidates for King and Queen were Betty Lero and Charles Patterson. Under the direction of Sister Vincentia, we gave our first class play entitled "Toby Helps Out." The retreat given by Father Howard, C.P. was an event we shall long remember. Helena Wettstein was elected to run for Penny Queen from our room. At this time a new figure was seen in our parish—our new pastor, Father Stremel. With the coming of summer, Norma Holland was our representative for Girls' State. Bob Wilbert and Keith Jones were chosen for Boys' State. At the end of May, the graduating class made us their heirs and willed us their title of . . .

SOPHOMORES

At last, we could now look a Senior in the eye. Under this new title, we had Sister Eva as our home room teacher. Class officers were Keith Jones, president, Bob Kazmierski, vice-president, Pat Schweitzer, secretary and Rosie Neil, treasurer. Our only new student, Mickey Gentile, left us at the semester to travel to California with his family. Our football boys were: Wilbert, Jones, McKee, Benage, Patterson and Grant. On the basketball court were: Patterson, Parks, Ryan, Jones and Wilbert. Again we found Betty Lero traveling with the teams as cheerleader until Rosie Neil took her place at the end of the football season. Class reporter's job was handled by Larry Parks and Mary Ann Horgan. Our Marian contestants were Regina and Robert. Several of our class took part in the annual minstrel which was a big success. Our candidate for the first Penny Queen in St. Mary's history was Rosie Neil. Just before Easter, our second retreat was given by Father Herbst, C.P. Our time running out, we climbed the stairs and claimed the homeroom of the . . . .

SENIORS

Enrolling for the last time was not so frivolous as the first time, for this time there was a little sentiment here and there. Filling Sister Linus' position, Sister Edwina became our principal and home room teacher. We chose as our leaders, Norma Holland, president, Charles Patterson, vice-president, Mary Ann Rome, secretary, and Mike McKee, treasurer. This year we had three gains, Mary Rome from St. Peter, Rosemary Butler from Walnut, and Millard Pelphrey, who left us at the semester. Sodality officers for the year were: Bob Wilbert, prefect, Betty Lero, vice-president, Jim Ryan, treasurer, with Lois Oberley filling the secretary's position. The Sodality Leadership School was held at Sacred Heart College in Wichita and several members of our class attended. In October the Seniors had a sneak day in honor of Sister Edwina's and Father York's feast day. This took us to Noel, Missouri. Football co-captains were Mike McKee and Keith Jones. Under the excellent coaching of Mr. Spigarelli, we won for the second consecutive year the Mineral Belt League Football Championship. Under the leadership of Captain Bob Wilbert we were equally outstanding in basketball, also winning first place in the tournaments. The Seniors responsible for this were Wilbert, Jones, Ryan, Parks, and Patterson. Rosie Neil, ever peppy was again behind the teams with her cheerleading. Football Queen at the homecoming was Betty Lero with Regina Hutsey as attendant. Our school paper, The Marianette, was edited by Benage and Parks. The Marian was edited by Kathryn Bettega and Bob Kazmierski. This year we sponsored another successful dance, at Christmas time. Our annual candidates were Kathryn Bettega and Jim Ryan who were crowned Queen Marianette X and King Marian X, at the Coronation Ball. Rosemary Butler, Penny Queen candidate, became the third queen in our history. During Lent we held our last retreat with Father Francis Broderick O.S.B., as retreat master. Regina Hutsey held the honor of being May Queen with Rosie Neil and Norma Holland as her attendants. May also brought a wonderful banquet given by the juniors. The first part of May was devoted to many more activities and parties, picnics, sneak days, our minstrel, Class Night and finally that day of all days, graduation. So ends our history made up of work, play, joys, and prayer. With the closing of this book we finally will become . . .

THE ALUMNI OF ST. MARY'S

OUR PAST

Rosemary
Francis
Robert
Charles
Connie
Kitty
Helena
Regina
Betty
Rosie
Keeth
Barbara
Pat
Agnes
John
Jim
Larry
Mary Ann H.
Kathryn
Michael
Norma
Bob

Juniors

Jeanne Krumsick

Robert Krumsick
Treasurer

Kathleen McKee
President

Francis Crespino

Carolyn Frakes

Motto: With the tree of the past, we will grow the fruit of the future

Sponsor: Sister Paula

Vera Rome

James Yoakam

Joan Starr

Freda Martinous

Mary M. Tierney

Rita Marie Menghini

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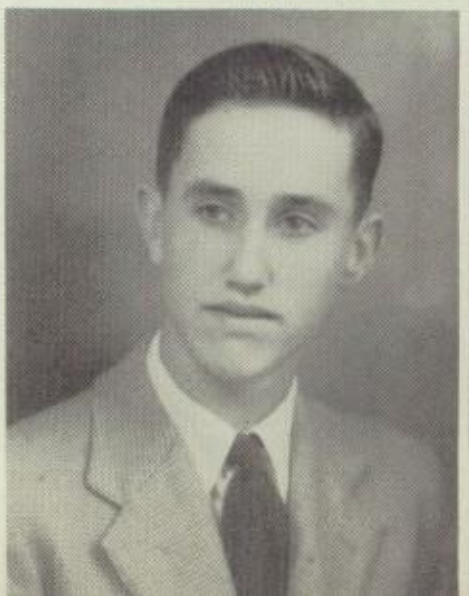
Donald Garrison

Jack Wilson

Rita Zigmund



Juniors

John Cattelino
Vice-president

Dona Zuech
Secretary

Mary Coleen Ahrens

John Deruy

Patricia Ramsay

Flower: White Carnation
Color: Silver and Green
Patron: St. Paula

Theodore Lacina

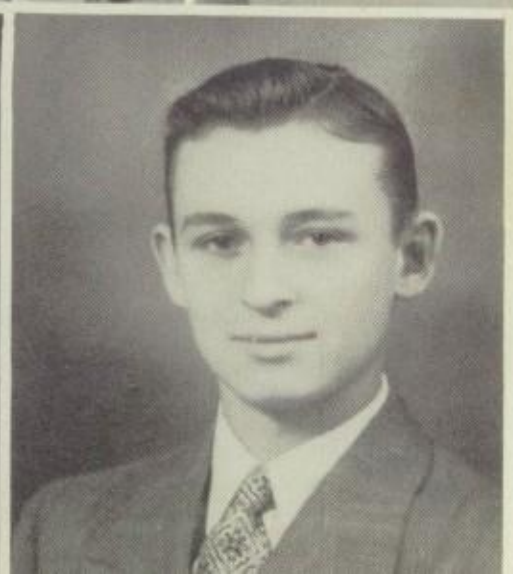
Agnes Marie Horgan

Francis Regan

Marcia Maloan

Marilyn Manning

Lois Oberly



Cecilia Radell

Robert Rinehart

Jerome Cronister

Sophomores

Francis Meyer

James Dunlap
Secretary

Charles Duesing
President

Phyllis DeCastro

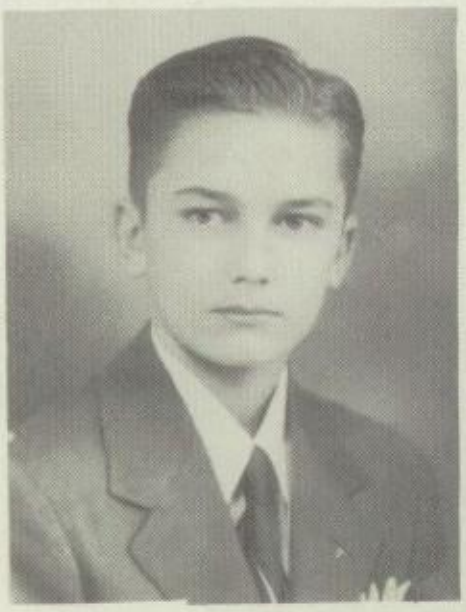
James Russian

Michael Burdick, Jr.

Mary Catherine Jones

John Kazmierski

Robert Havens



Rosemary Grant

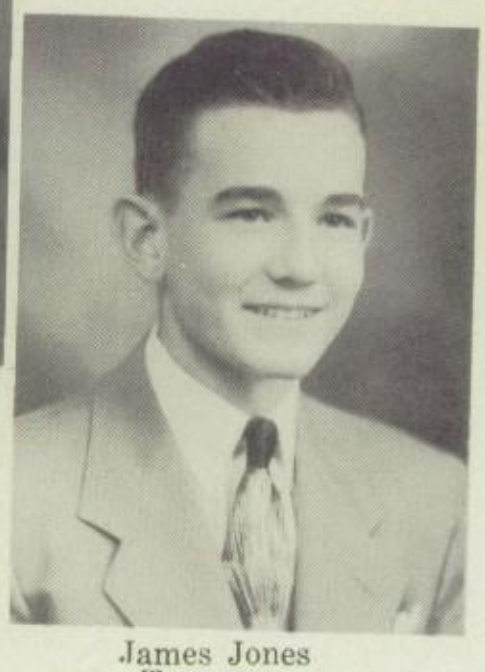
Mary Irene Stahl

Michael Lyons

Beverly Morando

Beverly Corrington

James Hribar
Vice-president



James Jones
Treasurer

William Bridwell

Leo Peak

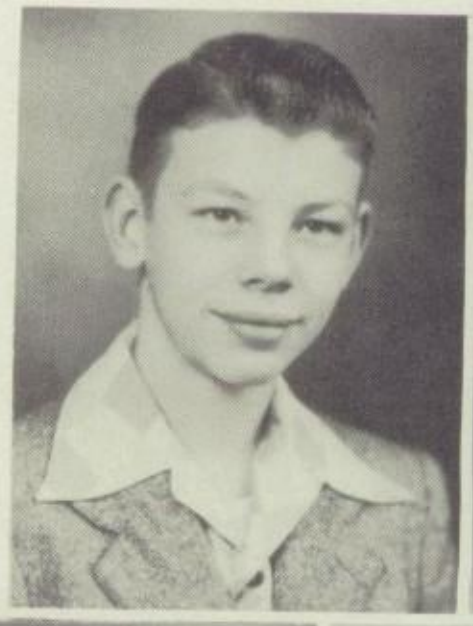
Robert Brown

Loretta Boelens

J. E. Friend

Sharie Smith

William Tierney



James Buche

Gesena Korphage

Marie Eichhorn

Theodore Condos

Sammie Giordano

Colleen Deruy

reshmen

Bonnie Bevans

Peter Monsour

Mary Ann Frakes

Shirley Thomas

John Sell
Vice-president

Alma Zigmund

Motto: Last but not least
Sponsor: Sister Clarissa
Color: Green and White
Patron: St. Clare
Flower: Bleeding Heart

Mary E. Cronister

Robert Benelli

Barbara Kluth

Barbara Meyer

Elizabeth Drenik

Thomas Avery

Joan Krumsick

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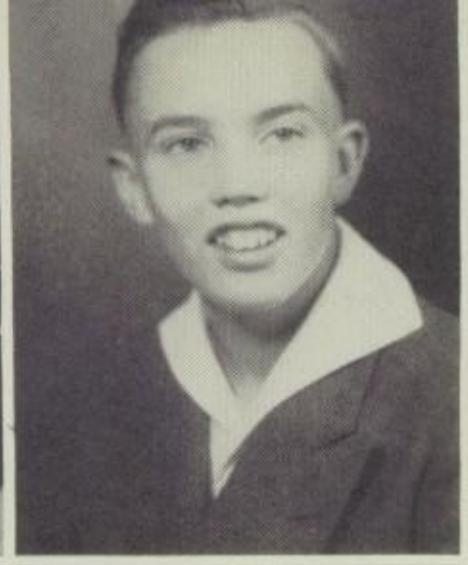
Charles Garrison
George Longerot
Arthur Scavezze

Michael Manfre

Jo Ann Rucinski

Robert Van Becelaere

Freshmen



Patricia Ann Frakes

Michael Horgan

Margaret Shaw

Patricia Smith

Thomas Hribar

Lila Hudson

Patron: St. Clare
Flower: Bleeding Heart

Francis Menghini

Patricia Cronister

Norma Jean Stultz

Robert Beitzinger

Carolyn Brunet

Walter Mahanes
President

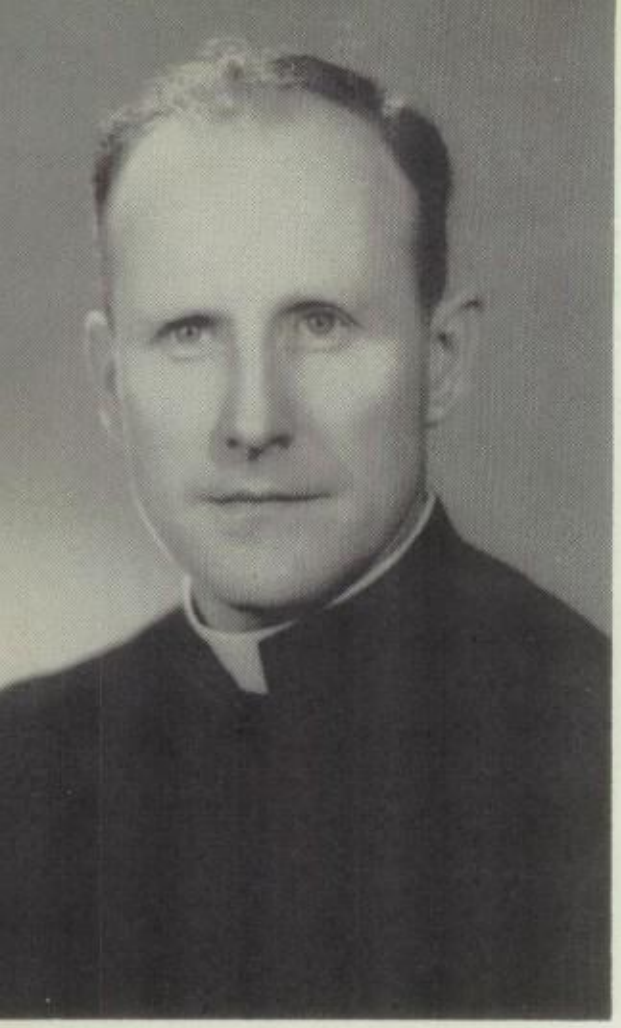
Iona May Ross

Virginia Lero
Secretary

James Van Becelaere

Eileen Theys

SODALITY



Fr. Francis Broderick, O.S.B. from Atchison, Kansas, was retreat master for the retreat given during Holy Week.

Sodality officers, with Sister Paula as moderator are Robert Wilbert, Prefect; Betty Lero, Vice-Prefect; Lois Oberley, Secretary; Jim Ryan, Treasurer; and Mike McKee, member of the Diocesan Advisory Board.

A big project of the Sodality for the year was to collect and send clothes to the needy people of Europe.

Regina Hutsey had the honor of crowning Our Lady Queen of May. Each class had two students from their class to represent them at the impressive crowning.

Fr. Mann held an open discussion on marriage for the high school students.

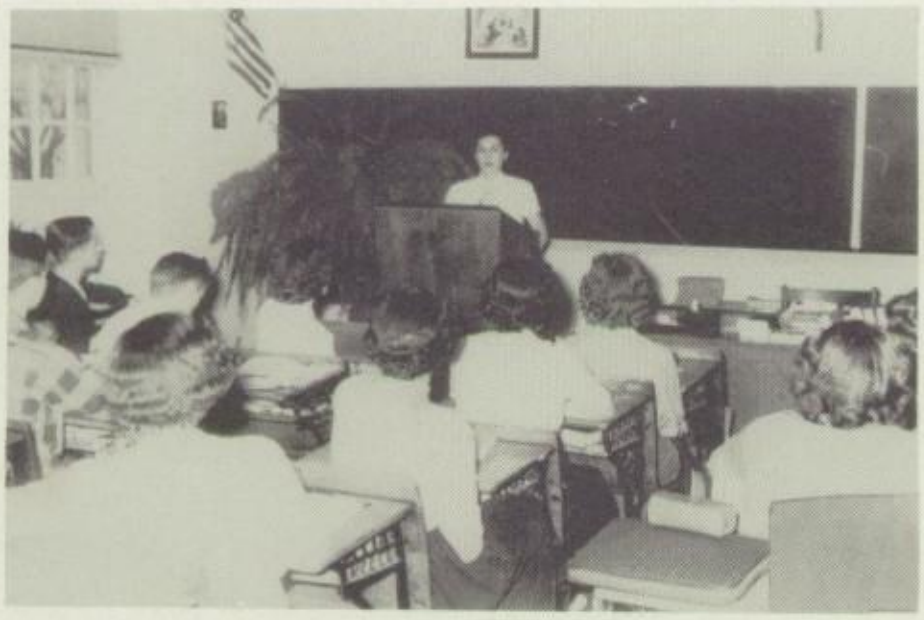
Through the Sodality, Fr. Ferree spoke to the student body on vocations.

Seniors learn the things of our nation's past in American history class, taught by Mr. Spigarelli.

Here is the workshop of the nation's future secretaries.

The art class, under the supervision of Sister Clarissa, learns to transform the beauties of nature into permanent memories.

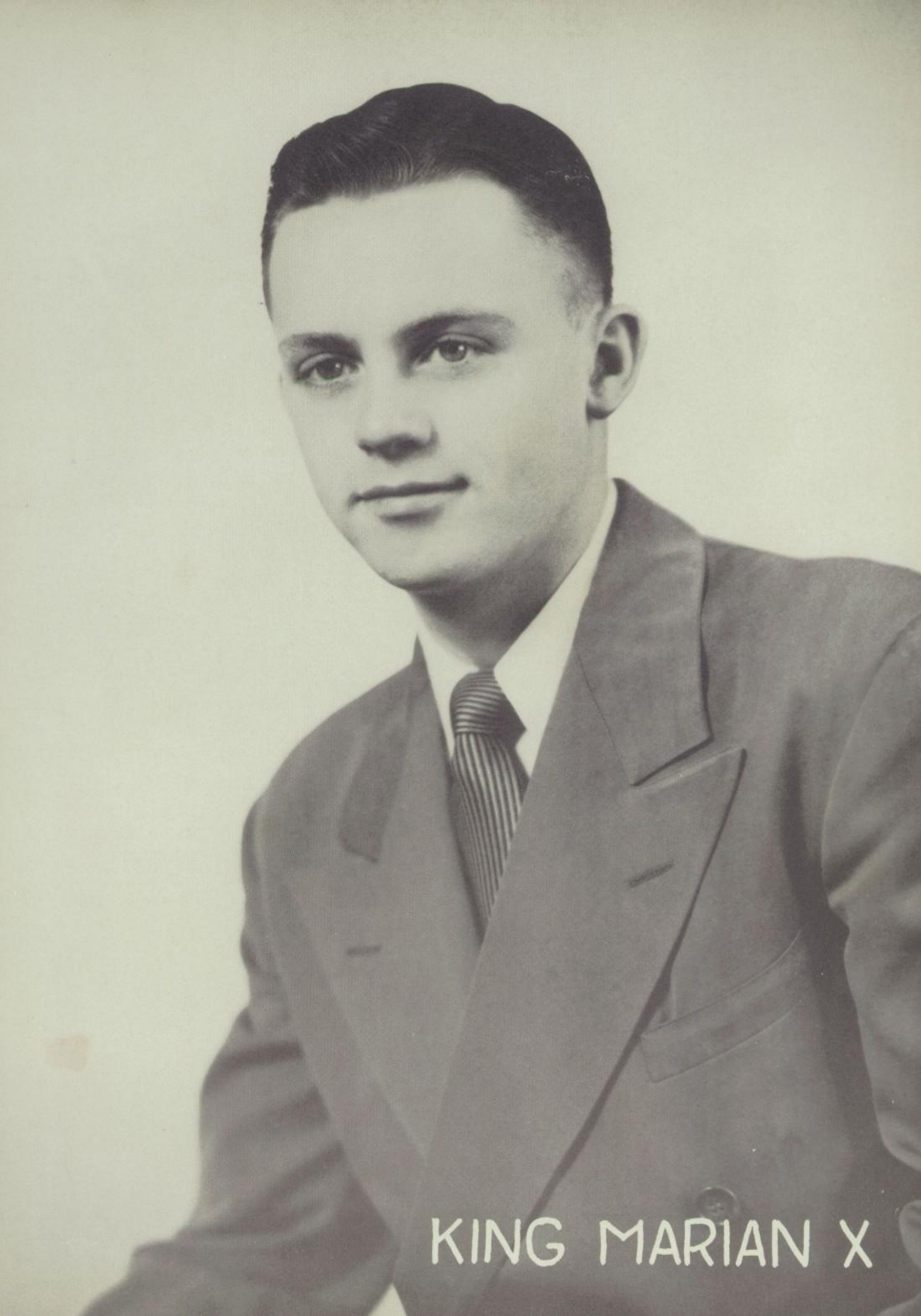
Here is where you will find an able bookkeeper who will transform a shop into an empire under the guidance of Sister Paula.



In speech, taught by Sister Ignatius, the seniors learn the eloquence of voice.

In Mr. Spigarelli's industrial arts class, the boys learn handicrafts that will be useful later in life.

QUEEN MARIANETTE X


KING MARIAN X

RIVALRY

John Sell

Alma Zigmund

Dona Zuech

John Deruy

John Kazmierski

Marie Eichhorn

Football Queen

Betty Lero

Attendants

Regina Hutsey

Kathleen McKee

Carnival Queen

ROSE MARY BUTLER

Football Queen

May Queen

REGINA HUTSEY

Coronation Ball

Personalities

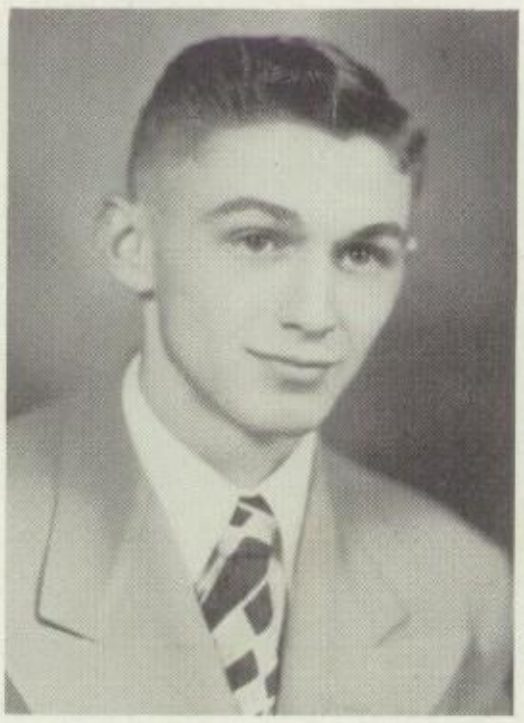
Name	Nickname	Favorite Expression	Ambition
John Benage	John	Ye gods!	To be a doctor
Kathryn Bettega	Katie	Loan me your pencil	To run an old maid's home with Barb
Rosemary Butler	Rosie	Oh, brother!	To be a teacher
Kathleen Gallagher	Kitty	Where's Betty and Regina?	To be a dentist's assistant
Francis Grant	Grant	That darn Chevie!	To get a car that runs
Norma Holland	Red	For heaven's sake!	To be a psychiatrist
Mary A. Horgan	Red	Oh, gadfreys!	To finish college in three years
Regina Hutsey	Toe	Where's Betty and Kitty?	To have a good-looking corpse
Keeth Jones	Keithie	Just luck!	To move east on 2nd Street
Robert Kazmierski	Bob	I thought I'd die	To be a dentist
Elizabeth Lero	Betty	Where's Kitty and Regina?	To go to college at Rockhurst
Michael McKee	Mike	Ah, yes	To know what he wants to do after he graduates
Barbara Miller	Barb	Drop dead!	To run an old maid's home with Katie
Rose Marie Neil	Rosie	Chicken	To get a man
Agnes O'Donnell	Aggie	I'm gonna say, "Hello"	To go to college
Lawrence Parks	Larry	Is that right?	To see the world
Charles Patterson	Gooch	Huh?!	To go into competition with Wilbert
Mary Ann Rome	Mary	I'm gonna say "Goodbye"	To be a housewife
James Ryan	Jim	Why shore!	To run Wilbert's pool hall
Patricia Schweitzer	Pat	Is Connie absent again?	To do what Connie does
Constance Wallace	Connie	Is Pat absent again?	To do what Pat does
Helena Wettstein	Paps	Oh, I forgot!	To be a nurse and take care of all my "friends"
Robert Wilbert	Bob	Now, I wouldn't say that.	To run a pool hall

Personality

Best Natured
Charles Patterson
Regina Hutsey

Handsomest
Mike McKee

Most Attractive
Betty Lero



Most Pleasing Personality
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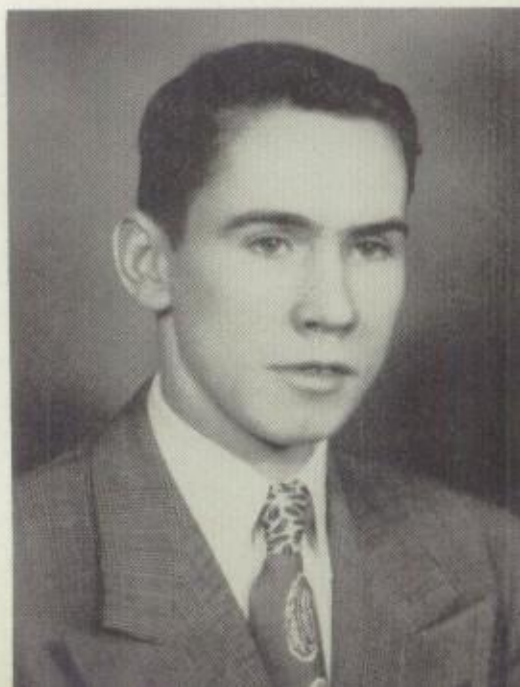
Larry Parks



Best Athlete
Keeth Jones

Features

Most Dependable
Kathryn Bettega
Robert Wilbert

Most Likely to Succeed
Mary Ann Horgan
John Benage

Friendliest
Norma Holland
Bob Kazmierski

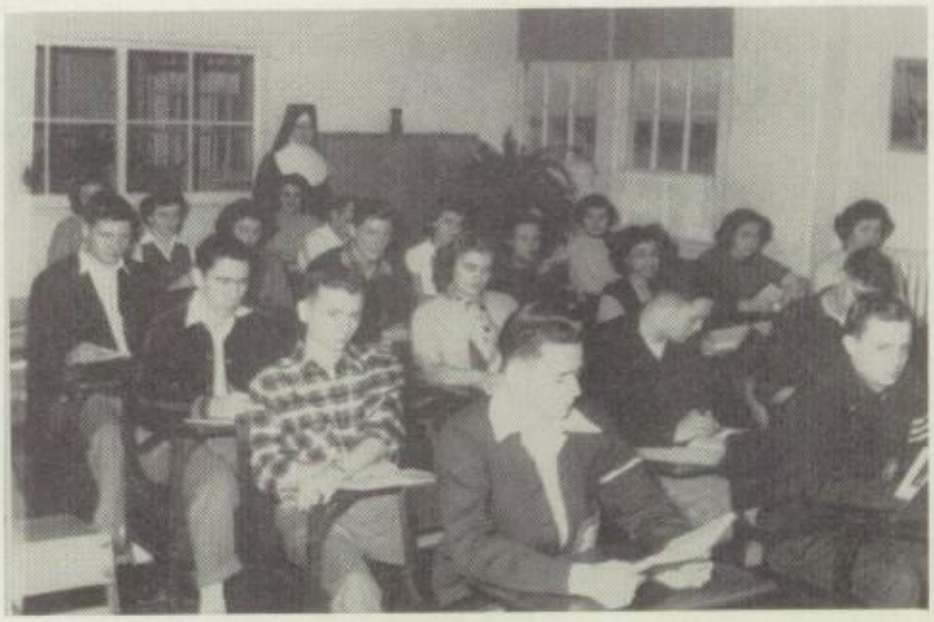
Best School Spirit
Rosie Neil

HOME ROOMS

FRESHMEN

SOPHOMORES

JUNIORS



SENIORS

CLASSES

The home economics classes under the direction of Miss Bazin learn the essentials of homemaking —to cook and to sew.

The biology class, taught by Father York, learns to appreciate the wonders of the plant and animal life.

In Sister Clarissa's algebra classes, the Freshmen learn the importance and the way to solve the problems of mathematics.

$x + y = 0$

In the current events class, guided by Mr. Spigarelli, the Junior class becomes acquainted with the happenings of the day.

In Latin I these pupils are taught the fundamentals of the language of ancient Rome by Sister Edwina.

In Chemistry these students under the direction of Sister Clarissa learn and are fascinated by the wonders of modern science.

The Freshmen are enjoying themselves at one of their homeroom parties.

Geometry problems are solved by the members of the class, taught by Sister Clarissa.

Representatives from our school for the Red Cross are Agnes O'Donnell and Agnes Marie Horgan.

The students of Latin, under the direction of Sister Edwina, constitute the V.V.V. Latin Club.

Latin Club officers are: Mike McKee, president; Kathleen McKee, secretary; Mary Coleen Ahrens, vice-president, and Rita Zigmund, treasurer.

MARIANETTE STAFF

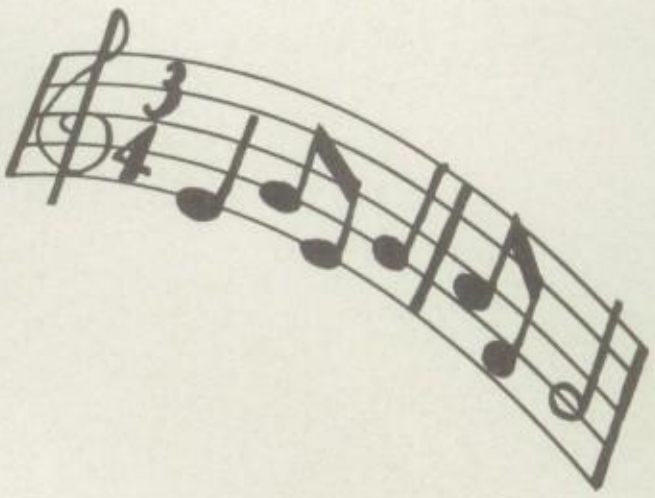
Faculty Advisor .....Father Edward York
Co-Editors .....John Benage and Larry Parks
Associate Editors: Mary Ann Horgan, Kathryn Bettega and Agnes O'Donnell
Typists: Pat Schweitzer, Connie Wallace, Rose Neil and Norma Holland
Business Manager .....Keeth Jones
Exchange Editors .....Regina Hutsey and Betty Lero

MARIAN STAFF

Faculty Advisor .....Sister M. Edwina
Co-Editors .....Kathryn Bettega and Bob Kazmierski
Business Managers: Agnes O'Donnell, Rose Marie Neil, Jim Ryan
Snaps and Photos: Norma Holland, Mary Rome, Francis Grant, Mary Ann Horgan and Rosemary Butler
Art Editors: Helena Wettstein, Pat Schweitzer and Connie Wallace
Sports: Charles Patterson and Robert Wilbert
Typists: Kitty Gallagher, Barbara Miller, Keeth Jones, Mike McKee, Regina Hutsey and Betty Lero

Music

Jeanne Krumsick and Joan Starr gave a successful voice recital during March at the Nurses' Home Auditorium.



The band under the direction of Sister Athanasius has made its appearance at the carnival and other parish projects.

Under the direction of Sister Athanasius, the St. Mary's Glee Club has presented many enjoyable and excellent programs.

The high school choir with Margaret Shaw as organist has provided the music for most of the Church's services.

SPORTS

Front row, left to right—Coach Spigarelli, Bob Wilbert, Charles Patterson, Jim Ryan, Co-captains Keeth Jones and Mike McKee, John Benage, Larry Parks, Bob Kazmierski, and assistant coach, Father York.

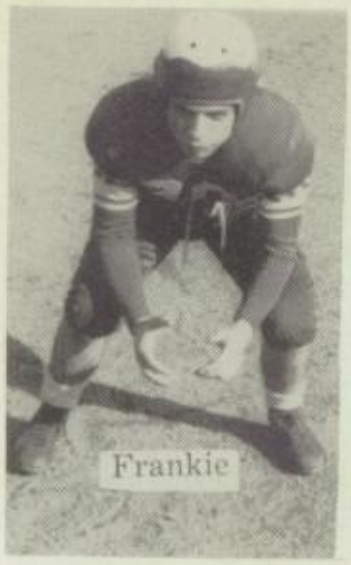
Second row—Bob Rinehart, Jerry Cronister, Ted Lacina, Jim Hribar, John Kazmierski, Frankie Crespino, Charles Duesing, Bob Krumsick

Third row—Jim Van Becelaere, Bob Havens, Francis Menghini, Bill Tierney, Jim Jones, Sammie Giordani, Mike Lyons, Junior Monsour, Don Garrison.

Back row—Arthur Scavezzi, Walter Mahanes, Theodore Condos, Mickey Manfre, Leo Peak, Jim Russian.

For the second consecutive year the Panthers won the Mineral Belt League Championship. St. Mary's has been in the M.B.L. for your years and twice has won second place and twice has ended up at the top of the league. The Panthers had a successful season this year winning eight while dropping two games. Coach Spigarelli led the team to its second consecutive unblemished record in league play. (The team lost a close decision to Arma, who won the Crawford County League first place.) The Saints won their annual Thanksgiving battle from Mineral and the undisputed championship. The Panthers played the last game without the service of co-captain Keeth Jones, but they were led on to victory by co-captain Mike McKee. Frank Crespino and Ted Lacina were elected by the team as co-captains for next year.

The Panther "B" Team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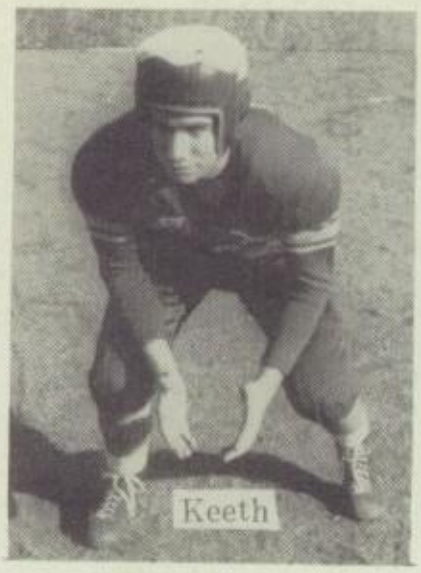
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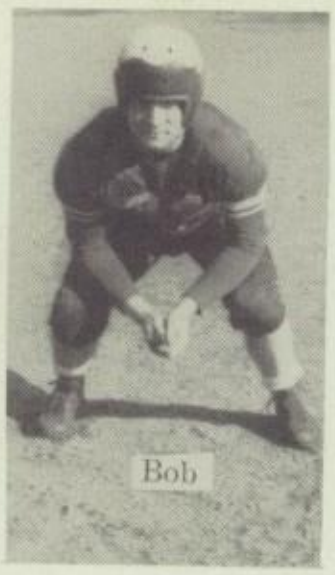

Bob

Jim

Ted

Bob K.

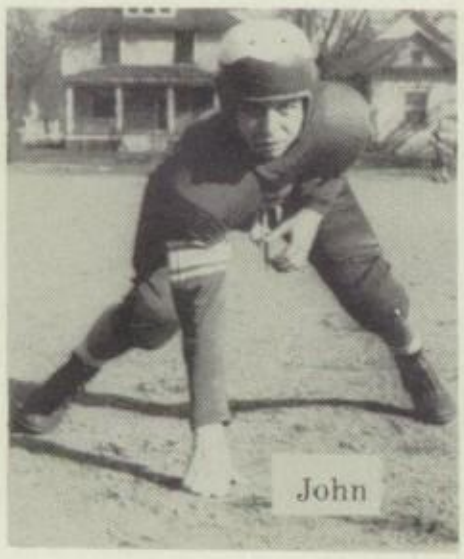
Football Schedule

St. Mary's		Opponent
6	*McCune	20
44	*Mound City	6
44	Mulberry	0
40	*Galena	6
57	Weir	12
34	*Frontenac	19
26	Minden	0
38	Erie	0
25	*Arma	27
13	Mineral	0
327	Totals	90

*Non-League Games

Mike

Charles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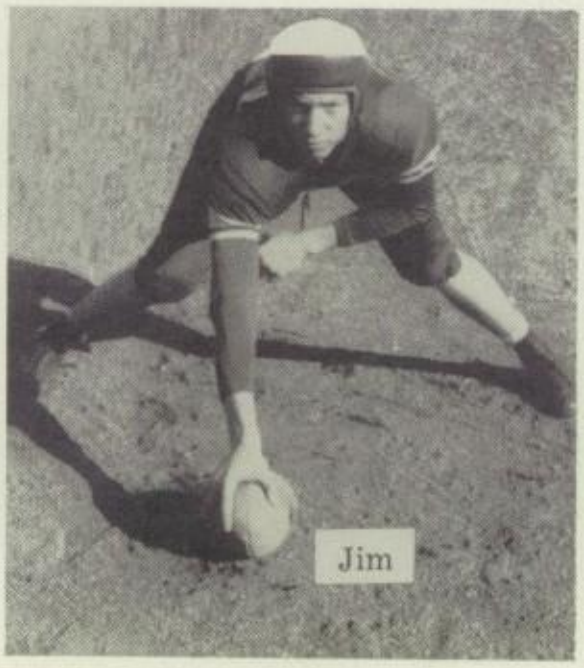
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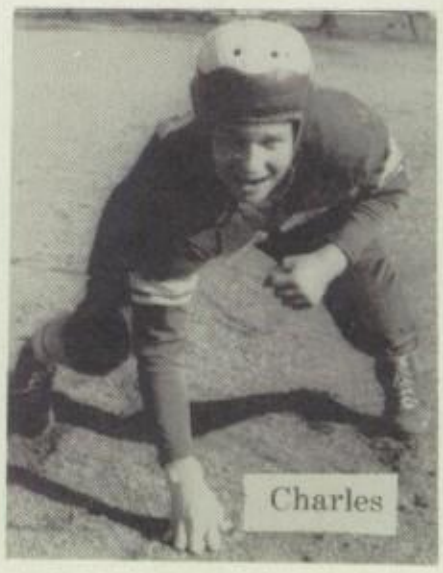
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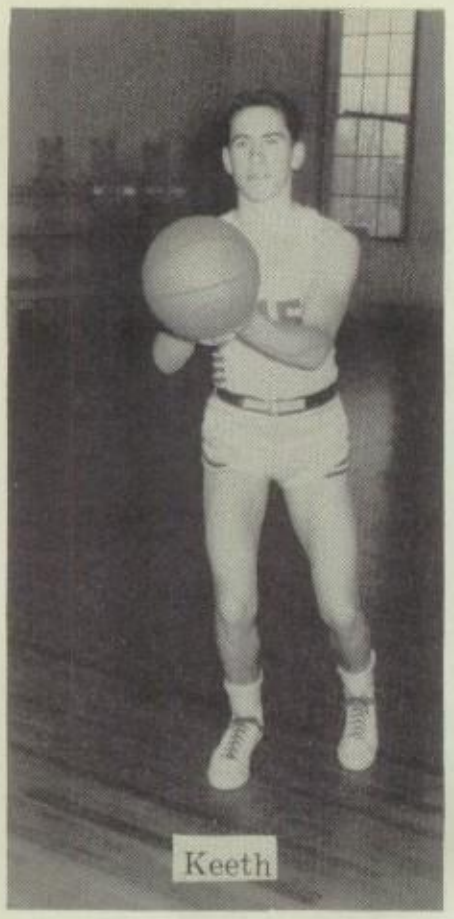
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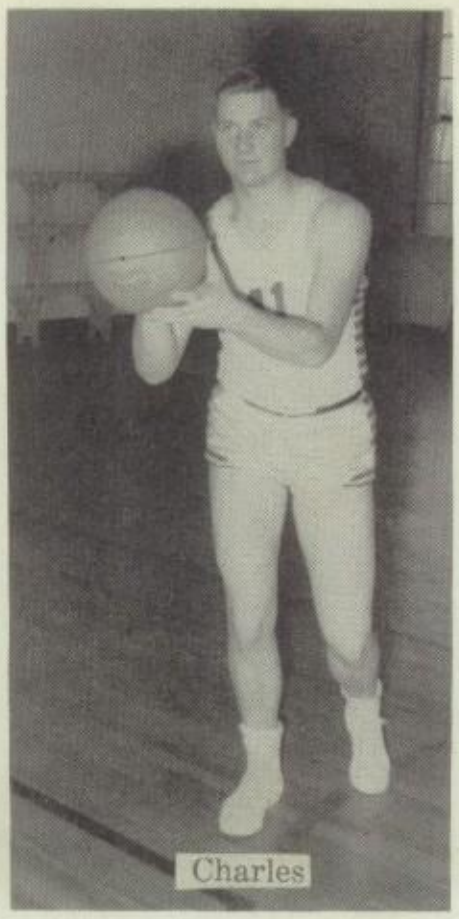
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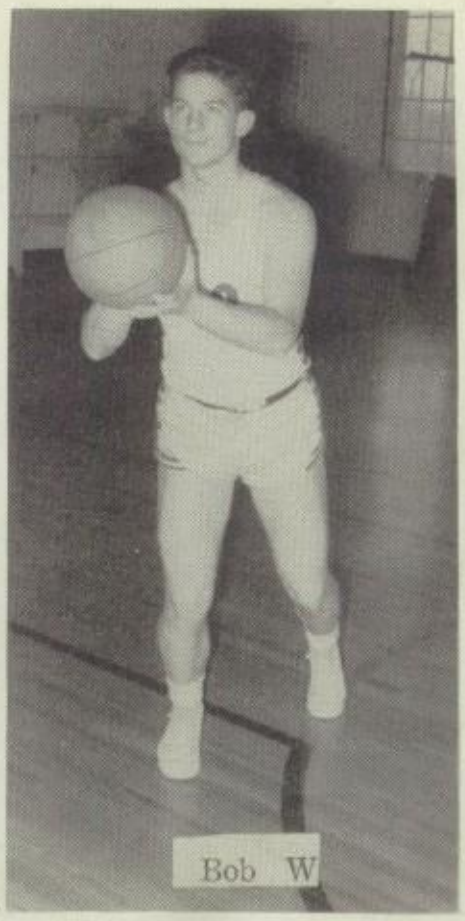
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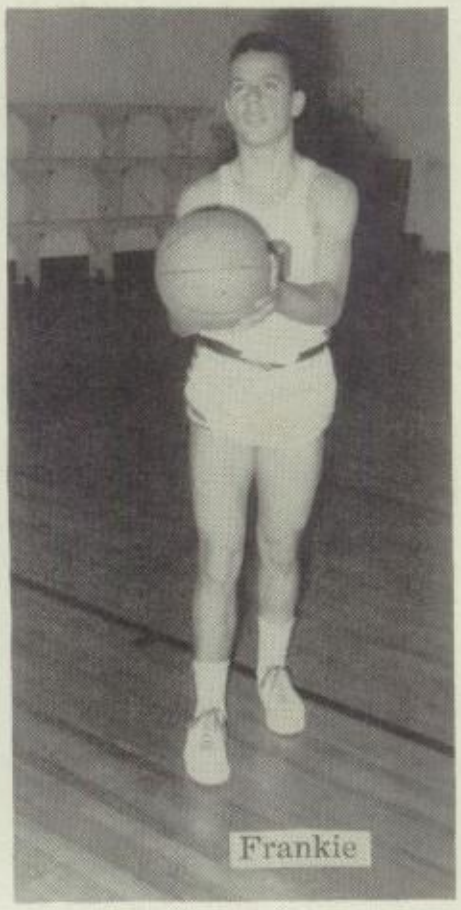
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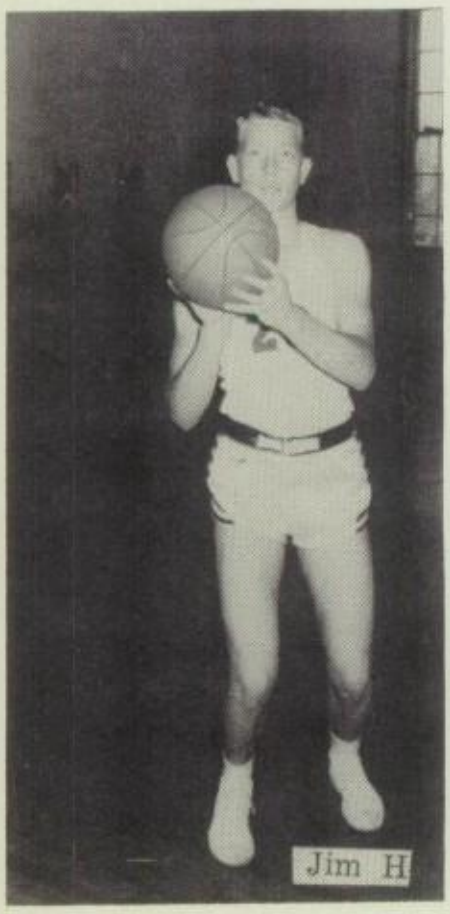
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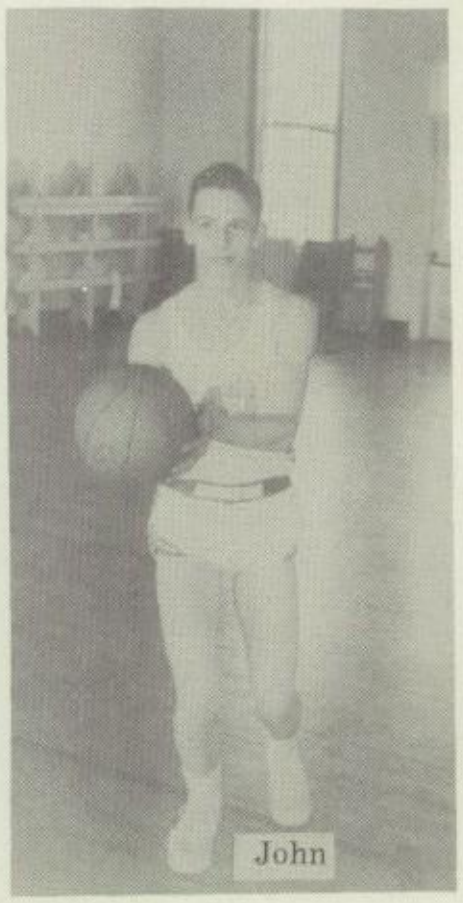
John

BASKETBALL

Father York

For the first time the Panther Cagers took an undisputed couple of first places. About the middle of the season, the M.B.L. Tournaments were held. In a thrilling last few minutes, the Panthers snatched the first place trophy from Erie's Red Devils. They continued their success and went through the season losing only two league games for their No. 2 first place. The Panthers came up third in the district after losing to Arma. The first place team, Elsmore, beat the Panthers in the second game of the Regionals. Bob Wilbert was our captain for the '49-'50 season.

Coach Spigarelli

St. Mary's		Opponents
37	Erie	31
24	Weir	22
40	*McCune	41
42	*Frontenac	44
43	Liberal	42
54	College Hi	58
75	Mulberry	32
104	Minden	22
66	Mineral	34
38	Erie	50
63	Weir	53
41	Liberal	40
40	College Hi	75
68	Mulberry	40
42	*Frontenac	40
79	Minden	33
75	Mineral	26
931	Total	683

*Non-league games

Kneeling—Jim Russian, Jim Buche, Larry Parks, John Kazmierski, Bob Brown.

Back row—Don Garrison, Jim Van Becelaere, Leo Peak, Art Scavezzi.

District Tournament

St. Mary's		Opponents
78	Mulberry	39
43	Arma	49
42	Arcadia	38
163	Total	126

Regional Tournament

St. Mary's		Opponents
50	Walnut	42
38	Elsmore	70
88	Total	112

M.B.L. Tournament

St. Mary's		Opponents
42	Liberal	25
47	College Hi	32
37	Erie	36
126	Total	93

The Panther "B" team, for the fifth consecutive year brought home the first place trophy. During the span of those four years, the "B" team has piled up an unbelievable record of 78 victories and only 6 defeats. In two of these years the Panther "B" team has gone undefeated. The Panthers have lost only one league game during these years. This year they were undefeated in league play and ended with a season's record of 15 wins out of 17 games. The captain for the season was Larry Parks.

PATRONS

A. A. Grocery
A. & W. Root Beer
Agatho, Father
Ahrens, Mrs. V. T.
Al's Grocery
Al's Recreation
American Service Co.
Arma Elevator Co.
Azamber, Phyllis
Babcock Serv. Station
Bartelli, Mary Ann
Batten's Bakery
Baugh, Mr. and Mrs. C. P.
Baumstark, Father
Beitzinger, Joe
Beitzinger, Mrs. John A.
Bena, Dr. J. H.
Benage, Dr. C. H.
Benelli, Andrew
Benelli, Margaret
Bertone, Jimmy
Bertone, Tony
Berry's Clothing Co
Bettega, Mr. & Mrs. A.M.
Bettega, Mr. & Mrs. E.A.
Bevans, Mrs. David
Bicknell, W. J.
Bitner Motor Co.
Blancho Mrs. Gus
Blancho, Mrs. Robert
Blue Room Cafe
Bowlus School Supply
Boyd, Pete
Bray, Mrs.
Brazil, Jim
Brunet, John
Brunet, Miss Vi
Braun, Dr. W. T.
Brown, Carl
Brown Mrs. E. W.
Brown, Mrs. Gene
Brown, Mrs. Mary
Brown, Mrs. Pearl
Brown Sheet Metal Co.
Brown Thomas
Bruffy & Polston
Buche, John
Butler, Mary
Butler, Mr. & Mrs. Verdan
Cairns Miss Patsy
Caldwell, Reba
Calhoun Lumber Co.
Campus Cleaners
Campus Grocery
Cantelli, Mrs. Max
Carlyun, Bertha
Circero, Sam
Clemens, Mrs. Ira
Clems Coal Co
Cripe, A. J.
Cripe's Bakery
Cronister Bros. Co.
Crown Beauty Shop
Crown Drug Store
Curly's Drive-Inn
Dalri, Mr. & Mrs. Attilio
Daughtery's Smoke House
Davies, Mrs. Anna
Davis, Mrs. Edwin
Dayton, Scotty
DeCastro Mr. and Mrs.
DeGasperi, Mrs.
Delaney, R. C.
Deruy, Mrs. John
Dezzani Mr. & Mrs. Attilio
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Downtown Motor Co.
Drunagel, Frank
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Eichorn, Otto
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Farabi, Peter
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Finnegan, Father Peter
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Fleming, Mrs. Morris
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Friend, Mrs. B.
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Friskel, John C.
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Haderline, Bobby
Hagman, Mr.
Headlight-Sun
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King, Mr. J. J.
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Lenno, Mrs. Midas
Lenski, Mr. Joe
Leon, Mrs. F. B.
Liberty Cleaners
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Loomis, R. S.
Loth Mrs. Jack
Loth, Johnny
Love's Triangle Grocery
Lyons, Dr. D. J.
Lyons, Francis
Machetta, Mahala
Mac's Barber Shop
Mac's Food Market
Magee, Violet
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Marty's Bakery
Marshall, Jack
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Montgomery, Dr. L. E.
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Morgan, Bert
Morgan, Margaret
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Muller, Dr. S. B.
Murphy, Walter
Murty, Dolly Dean
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Naylor-Quinn Funeral Home
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Nu Look Beauty Shop
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Oehme, David
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